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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 6542

BILL NUMBER: HB 1077

NOTE PREPARED: Feb 18, 2008

BILL AMENDED:

SUBJECT: Funding for Local Memorial Day Celebrations.

FIRST AUTHOR: Rep. Niezgodski

FIRST SPONSOR: Sen. Breaux

BILL STATUS: As Passed Senate

FUNDS AFFECTED: **GENERAL**
 DEDICATED
 FEDERAL

IMPACT: Local

Summary of Legislation: The bill removes the limit on the amount a township, city, town, or county may appropriate to certain veterans' organizations to aid in defraying Memorial Day expenses.

Effective Date: July 1, 2008.

Explanation of State Expenditures:

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures: The specific impact this provision would have on local expenditures is unknown. Any additional amount of funds that could be appropriated to defray costs for Memorial Day would depend on action taken by local unit governing bodies. Further appropriations for Memorial Day would come from a local unit's general fund.

Explanation of Local Revenues:

State Agencies Affected:

Local Agencies Affected: Cities, counties, towns, and townships.

Information Sources:

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